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SUBJECT: THE SUCCESSION IN CYPRUS

REF: ANKARA 5944

1. SECRETARY CLIFFORD'S RESPONSE TO DIRECT QUESTION ABOUT
U.S.LEGAL POSITION TOWARDS CYPRUS AT HIS AUGUST 9 PRESS
CONFERENCEIN NICOSIA FULLY REFLECTS DEPARTMENT'S OWN
VIEWS. DEATH OF MAKARIOS DOES NOT ALTER FACT THAT GOC IS
THE LEGALLY-CONSTITUTED GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF
CYPRUS, WITH FULL AUTHORITY UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW TO
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REPRESENT THE REPUBLIC IN THE INTERNATIONAL SPHERE. WE
WILL CONTINUE TO REGARD PRESIDENTS SERVING AS PROVIDED
UNDER THE 1960 CYPRUS CONSTITUTION AS PRESIDENTS OF THE
REPUBLIC, AND TO MAINTAIN NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH
THE GOC.

2. WITH RESPECT TO REQUEST IN PARA 1, REFTEL, WE WOULD

DEFER TO EMBASSY NICOSIA FOR IN-DEPTH ANALYSIS OF CURRENT
INTERNAL POLITICAL SCENE IN CYPRUS. CHRISTOPHER

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